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Settlement Agreement

RESPONDENT:

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CASE NUMBER NC09002-AC**DUE ON OR BEFORE** September 10, 2010
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DATE	CITATION	DESCRIPTION
	7 USC § 2136	The Animal Welfare Act: Registration of research facilities, handlers, carriers and unlicensed exhibitors. Every research facility, every intermediate handler, every carrier, and every exhibitor not licensed under section 2133 of this title shall register with the Secretary in accordance with such rules and regulations as he may prescribe.
28-May-2008	9 CFR 2.25	Registration; Requirements and procedures: Involved in the transportation (from Savannah, Georgia to locations in Georgia, Florida, and Louisiana before arriving in Northbrook, Illinois) of dogs without the required registration.

PENALTY \$ 562.00**TERMS**

Titles 7, 15, 19, and 21 of the United States Code authorize the Secretary of Agriculture, after providing notice and opportunity for a hearing, to impose civil penalties and other sanctions to resolve violations.

Prior to the issuance of a formal complaint seeking sanctions under the Act, The Department may enter into a stipulation to resolve the above-described violations. Your payment constitutes a waiver of your right to a hearing, a finding that the violations of law have occurred, and settlement of such violations.

If you do not pay the specified penalty within the designated time or wish to exercise your right to a hearing, this matter will be forwarded to the Office of the General Counsel for litigation. The penalty offered in this stipulation is not relevant to the sanctions the Department may seek, or that will be assessed, upon issuance of a formal complaint.

Signature of Respondent:**Date:****PAYMENT RECORD - FOR IES USE ONLY**

Payment Type	Date	Amount	Signature of IES Representative